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PATENT APPLICATION**
(37 CFR 1.63)

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Attorney Docket Number	718220.171
First Named Inventor	Fulghum, Trent A.
COMPLETE IF KNOWN	
Application Number	Not yet known
Filing Date	Herewith
Group Art Unit	Not yet known
Examiner Name	Not yet known

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

JOYSTICK CONTROLLED SCRUBBER

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

 is attached hereto

OR

 was filed on (MM/DD/YY)

04/23/04

as United States Application Number or PCT International (if applicable).

Application Number

10/709,252

and was amended on (MM/DD/YY)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Priority Not claimed	Certified Copy Attached? YES	Certified Copy Attached? NO
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 Additional foreign application numbers are listed on a supplemental priority data sheet PTO/SB/02B attached hereto:

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

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NAME OF SOLE OR FIRST INVENTOR: A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor

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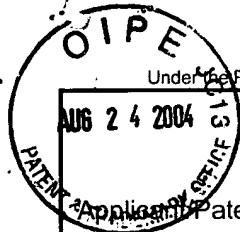
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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**Application/Patent Owner: Trent A. Fulghum, et al.Application No./Patent No.: 10/709,252 Filed/Issue Date: April 23, 2004Entitled: JOYSTICK CONTROLLED SCRUBBERAlto U.S. Inc. , a Corporation

(Name of Assignee) (Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

4 May 04

Date

Tom Benton

Typed or printed name

Tom Benton

Signature

Vice President, Alto U.S. Inc.

Title

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Trent A. Fulghum, a resident of Fayetteville, Arkansas and Emert R. Whitaker, a resident of Siloam Springs, Arkansas (hereinafter referred to as "Assignors"), are the inventors of a certain new and useful invention relating to a JOYSTICK CONTROLLED SCRUBBER for which application for Letters Patent has been made as U.S. Patent Application No.10/709,252 that was filed on April 23, 2004; and

WHEREAS, Assignors are the owners and in full possession of the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent that may be granted therefor; and

WHEREAS, Alto U.S. Inc., a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, (hereinafter referred to as "Assignee"), having its principal office and place of business at 16253 Swingley Ridge Road, Suite 200, Chesterfield, Missouri, 63017-1725, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent that may be granted therefor; and

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (U.S. \$1.00) and other valuable considerations to Assignors paid by said Assignee, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignors do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent, both United States and foreign, that may be granted therefor, together with any and all continuations, divisions, or reissues, and Assignors do hereby authorize and request the United States Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue in accordance with this Assignment any and all Letters Patent that may be granted, either on said application or otherwise for said invention.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal.

Dated: 5-4-04

Trent A. Fulghum
Trent A. Fulghum

STATE OF Arkansas
) ss.
COUNTY OF Washington

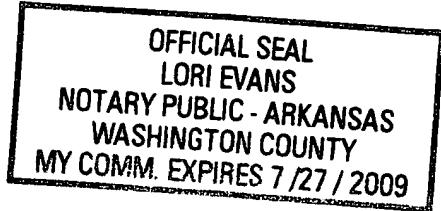
On this 4 day of May, 2004, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public within and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Trent A. Fulghum to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto attached my hand and notarial seal, at the County and State aforesaid on the day and year last above written.

Lori A. Evans
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

7-27-2009



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has hereunto set his hand and seal.

Dated: May 04, 2004

Emert R. Whitaker
Emert R. Whitaker

STATE OF arkansas)
) ss.
COUNTY OF washington

On this 4 day of May, 2004, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public within and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Emert R. Whitaker to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto attached my hand and notarial seal, at the County and State aforesaid on the day and year last above written.

Lori O. Evans
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

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